

The Nevada Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) and Economic Impact Analysis

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Agenda

- SCORP
 - What is it & why is it required?
- Economic Impact Analysis (EIA)
 - What will it provide?
- Benefits of SCORP and EIA for OHV community





Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP)

Each state is required to complete a SCORP every 5 years to receive funding from the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)

The Plan must:

- Include ample opportunity for public participation involving all segments of the State's population.
- Evaluate demand of outdoor recreation through quantitative surveys or analyses.
- Evaluate supply of outdoor recreation resources and facilities.

The SCORP:

- Identifies outdoor recreation issues of statewide importance.
- Includes a qualitative statewide inventory of outdoor recreation resources and facilities.
- Identifies gaps in resource needs and maintenance.
- Helps determine the state's priorities for awarding federal funds from the LWCF to local communities.
- Includes an implementation program that identifies the State's strategies, priorities, and actions.
- Completion fall/winter 2026



NDOR Economic Impact Analysis

NDOR has been tasked with creating a statewide outdoor recreation EIA. It will assess a wide variety of OREC studies & land use for Nevada including data shared with the SCORP:

- Visitor use and Spending per city, county, & congressional district.
- Land asset and inventory management.
- Trails inventory for the entire state/work with Land Managers; updates to www.NVTrailFinder.com
- Health cost savings including mental health benefits of just being outside.
- Survey processes have just begun and will be available for public participation in the next 30-45 days. Completion of the EIA is estimated to be April 2025.



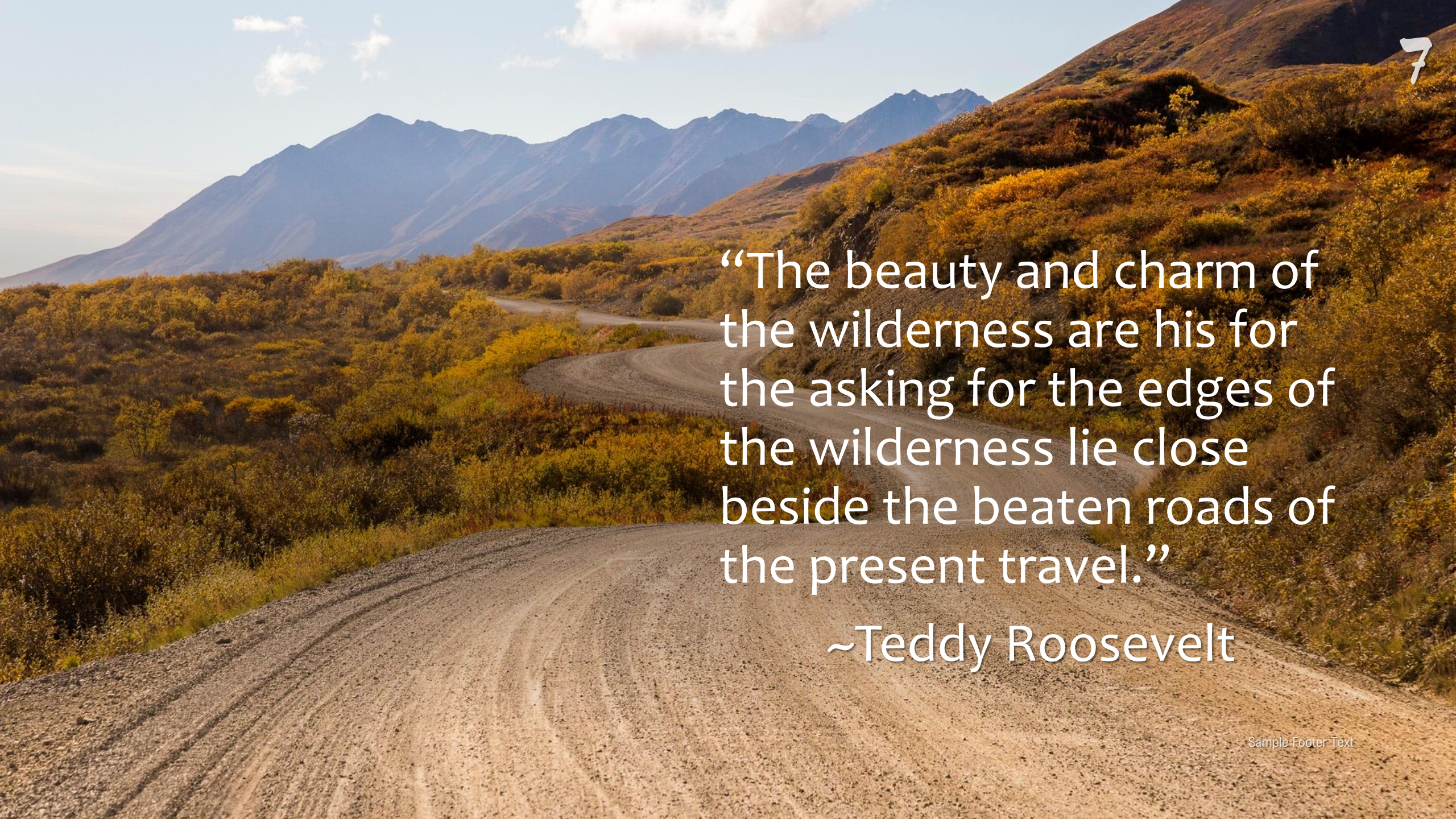
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Benefits of SCORP and EIA for OHV Community

- Will assess OHV use to show better land management opportunities and gaps/need in infrastructure and continued need for robust OHV grant rounds!
- Input from public participation can increase priority of OHV projects and funding opportunities.



“The beauty and charm of the wilderness are his for the asking for the edges of the wilderness lie close beside the beaten roads of the present travel.”

~Teddy Roosevelt

Summary





Thank
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